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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

The Honorable Jocelyn G. Boyd Chief Clerk / Administrator Public Service Commission of South Carolina 101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100 Columbia, SC 29210

Re: Posting Notice for Allowable Ex Parte Communication Briefing

Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC and Duke Energy Progress, LLC's Applications for Approval of Proposed Electric Transportation Pilot and An Accounting

Order to Defer Capital and Operating Expenses

Docket Nos. 2018-321-E and 2018-322-E.

Dear Ms. Boyd:

Pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. §58-3-260(C)(6)(a)(v), Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC and Duke Energy Progress, LLC (together "the Companies") respectfully request that the Public Service Commission of South Carolina post the attached Notice of Request for Allowable Ex Parte Briefing on its website no later than December 3, 2019. As also required by S.C. Code Ann. §58-3-26(C)(6)(a)(v), the Companies confirm that they have requested the opportunity to provide a briefing to the Commissioners and Commission employees identified in the attached Notice. The Companies also confirm that ORS has indicated that it has a representative available and will to attend the briefing described in the attached Notice.

Yours truly,

Frank R. Ellerbe, III

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